

TES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Confirmation No.: 2650

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Mark F. GABRIEL et al. Group Art Unit: 3723

Serial No. 10/796,080 Examiner: Alvin J. Grant

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MULTI-PORT SANDBLASTING MANIFOLD AND METHOD For:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a one-month extension-of-time, to extend the time for response to a final Office Action dated June 16, 2005 to which Applicants' Response filed on June 22, 2005 which was rejected by Examiner and afterwhich a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being filed herewith.

Enclosed is a check to cover the cost of the extension of time fee of \$120.00 according to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1). Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-2036 with reference to Attorney Docket No. 01565.1580.

Respectfully submitted,

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